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This is the file of the man that I've talked with you about. In addition to what I consider a rather impressive application, I found him extremely likeable and capable. His Ph.D. in Operations Research due next spring, as well as his specialization in resource allocation problems looks good to me. He has accepted a job with some State-sponsored analysis group whose objectives are applying Systems Analysis techniques to a wide variety of social problems.

On the good chance that his interest in intelligence might ultimately lead him to accept full-time employment with us, I am considering him as a consultant, probably beginning about 1 July. He seemed very interested in our work and in consulting with us. Based on our work load by mid-1969 and intervening events, I will bring this up again about mid-May.

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